

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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NEIL SAYEGH, :  
Plaintiff, : 20-CV-9743 (JMF)  
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-v- : ORDER  
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UNUM GROUP et al., :  
Defendants. :  
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JESSE M. FURMAN, United States District Judge:

On December 30, 2020, Defendants filed a motion to dismiss the complaint under Rule 12(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Under Rule 15(a)(1)(B), a plaintiff has twenty-one (21) days after the service of a motion under Rule 12(b) to amend the complaint once as a matter of course.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that Plaintiff shall file any amended complaint by **January 20, 2021**. Plaintiff will not be given any further opportunity to amend the complaint to address issues raised by the motion to dismiss.

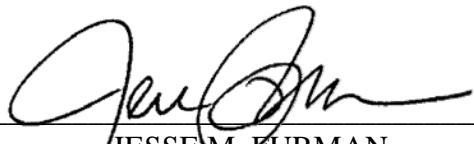
If Plaintiff does amend, by three (3) weeks after the amended complaint is filed, Defendants shall: (1) file an answer; (2) file a new motion to dismiss; or (3) file a letter on ECF stating that it relies on the previously filed motion to dismiss. If Defendants file an answer or a new motion to dismiss, the Court will deny the previously filed motion to dismiss as moot. If Defendants file a new motion to dismiss, any opposition shall be filed within fourteen days, and any reply shall be filed within seven days of any opposition.

If no amended complaint is filed, Plaintiff shall file any opposition to the motion to dismiss by **January 20, 2021**. Defendants' reply, if any, shall be filed by **January 27, 2021**.

Finally, it is further ORDERED that the initial pretrial conference previously scheduled for January 12, 2021, is adjourned *sine die*.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 4, 2021  
New York, New York



JESSE M. FURMAN  
United States District Judge